

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—Northern California: Showers this afternoon and night in central and northern valleys in S portion; showers in light S wind. San Francisco and Vicinity: Light showers this afternoon and tonight, cloudy Tuesday; light SW. wind.

Oakland Tribune.

BOERS STILL FULL OF FIGHT.



GENERAL CHERMSIDE
Whose Division Is Now Told to Head Off the Boers

Try to Turn Gen. French's Flank and
the Movement Is Nearly
Successful.

LONDON, April 30, 1900. P. M.—The latest news received from the Orange Free State indicates that though the Boers have vacated Thaba N'chu they have only done so in order to occupy stronger positions. On Sunday, April 23, General Dewet made all efforts to turn French's eastern flank, which was only foiled by the cavalry after vigorous maneuvering. The Boers held the ridge to the eastward, whence they will probably retreat when pressure of superior numbers increases.

The British casualties sustained during the Thaba N'chu fighting were slight. General French's object now is that all chance of capturing the main body of the burghers has disappeared, so to harass the Boers and prevent any well-organized retreat.

From Belta, Portuguese East Africa, under date of Monday, April 23, comes the news that General Roberts has concentrated his 12-pounder battery. It is said that General Sir Frederick Carrington, who is to command the British troops going to Rhodesia, has been cordially welcomed by the Portuguese officials and that he reviews the Portuguese troops.

Cape Town reports say that Dr. Jameson has recovered from the severe attack of fever from which he has been suffering, and he is mentioned as a candidate for one of the seats in the House of Commons, representing Kimberley, in succession to Dr. Frederick Rutherford Hayes.

The agent of Julius Well at Matseking wrote under date of April 12th most hopefully, saying everything was satisfactory. He added that the Boer guns were firing heavily into the town, and that a determined attack had been repulsed without casualties on the British side.

A conception of the continuous ravages of the war can be gathered from a Cape Town dispatch, dated today, briefly announcing the arrival from Natal of twenty-five officers and 252 men invalided from the service, and the sailing of the Aurora for England with 400 sick and wounded soldiers.

Efforts are being made to remedy the remount question. A Simla dispatch announcing that 500 experienced native horses were sent to India, and fifty veterans officers have been drawn from India for service in South Africa.

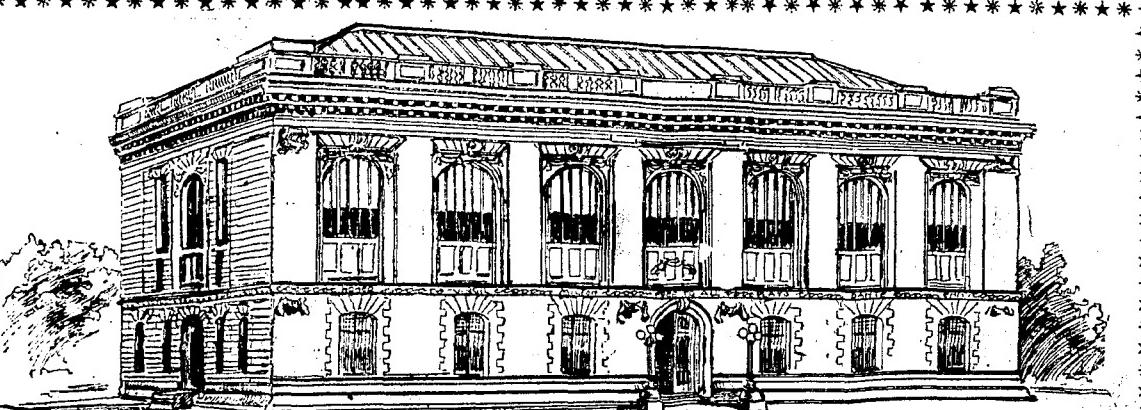
CRITICISE ROBERTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 30.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

The distance between Thaba N'chu and

OAKLAND'S NEW PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY.



THE FIRST PRIZE WINNER.

The award for the three best plans submitted for the proposed Public Library building was made last Saturday night by the jury, comprising Architects Percy and Pissis and Librarian Rowell of the University of California. The first prize of \$2,350 was given to Bills & Faville of San Francisco, the second of \$400 to Havens & Toopke of the same place and the third prize of \$250 to Bernard R. Maybeck of Berkeley.

The first prize carries with it the supervision of the erection of the structure at 5 per cent fees.

There were fifty-three plans submitted, and all of them were possessed of individual merit. The jury, however, was unanimous in its selection of the three plans referred to.

The winning plans comprehend a structure of a story and a half, the main frontage of which will be on Fourteenth street, the lot being at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Grove streets. The ground floor or half story will contain the children's department and the reading room, each 4x32 feet, with lavatories, etc., in the rear. An open driveway is provided around the rear of the building. The main floor, reached by a wide and imposing staircase direct from the street, will contain the book delivery room and the reference room, each 4x32 feet, with the book stack room, the librarian's and cataloguer's rooms on each side. The arrangements give spacious and splendidly lighted apartments. The treatment architecturally is after the French Renaissance.

This building will be erected by the expenditure of \$50,000 donated by Andrew Carnegie upon the lot above referred to, which was purchased through the efforts of the ladies of the Ebell Society.

All the plans are on exhibition in the Centennial building.

COURT FIGHT.

Rattling Charges Made in Contest to Mrs. More's Will.

The story of a bitter family feud is told in a contest filed against the will of the late Eliza H. More of Berkeley, who died in Ohio a year ago. The contestants are three sisters of the deceased, Eliza M. Miller, Cornelia A. Baldwin and Martha Duvall.

The parties involved in the suit are a brother, John F. More, and a friend, P. W. Watson. The former is left \$15,000 and the latter \$10,000. The contesting sisters are left \$50 each. About twenty-five other relatives receive from \$50 to \$100 apiece. The churches being given handsome sums.

The contestants allege undue influence, conspiracy and fraud on the part of John F. More and his wife in support of the alienation of the historic family strife which has been carried on in the courts of San Francisco, is told.

This fight began in 1893 with the death of A. P. More, a brother of J. F. More, and the contestants filed application for letters of administration on his estate. The sisters contested his application. More's will was left to his wife, and the court found that he failed to account for \$10,500 of the property which came into his hands. The sisters contested his account and his letters were revoked. Mrs. Eliza M. Miller was then granted letters of administration on the estate. Mrs. More and Eleanor H. More, whom it is alleged the brother induced to enter the contest,

More & Watson then began suits for \$50 each, and they claimed the estate was worth \$500 each. Attorney of record advised of J. F. More prior to his death, Attorney C. A. Stark fought these suits on behalf of the sisters.

It is alleged that More took advantage of the old age and infirmities of his wife, and prejudiced her against her sisters; that he made her believe the sisters were trying to "rob" the estate and dispossess not only More, but also the family name, that he was induced to do this by another concealed falsehoods that Attorney Stark was wicked, vicious and criminal, and that he had a pernicious influence over the sisters.

It is also alleged that More induced his son, John F. More, to go guilty of the most atrocious crime that he was the instigator of the death of his father-in-law, Thomas W. More, nineteen years ago; that in fact he killed his father-in-law.

It is claimed that More and Watson by these false and fraudulent representations influenced Miss More so that she was induced to leave them their property to the disinheritance of the sisters. Stark & Osmund are attorneys for the contestants.

CAPT. CHADWICK'S INDISCRETION.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES BY THE TRIBUNE'S SPECIAL LEASED WIRE.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Captain Chadwick called at the Navy Department and delivered to Secretary Long in person a letter in response to the Department's communication which called his attention to a newspaper publication attributing to him remarks derogatory to Admiral Schley. No one was present besides the Secretary and Captain Chadwick when the letter was delivered. They have checked up on an hour.

The conclusion of the interview, Secretary Long stated that he had received Captain Chadwick's letter and that he had the subject under consideration and pending further investigation. Captain Chadwick, respecting the matter. For his part, Captain Chadwick declined to talk about the alleged interview.

In this state of the case, it is impossible to predict what action the Navy Department will take, though the officials generally refer to the famous utterance of Captain Coughlan and the Department's practice, and similar deductions might reasonably be made.

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TEXAS FLOODS STILL RISING.

DALLAS, April 28.—The floods show no signs of receding. On the contrary, most of the Texas rivers are rising. A Fort Worth telegram at 10 o'clock says the Trinity river has overflowed along its entire course and people are hampered for the safety of the water works, which are seriously threatened. A nine foot rise is sweeping down from the headwaters of the Trinity.

A bridge at Waco at 10:30 says the crest of flood there will reach from ten to fifteen persons.

The property damage in the city will exceed \$50,000.

The telegraph wires are gone south of Waco, leaving more than half the State. The railroad movement are absolutely suspended south of Dallas on almost every line in the State.

The loss by food and hurricane since last Monday is estimated to reach three to five million dollars, including damage to railroads and crops. The damage to railroads is immense in several counties. The telegraph companies have a large force of men out trying to make repairs.

The reports received from Southern and Central Texas state that great destruction has occurred.

A bullet from Galveston at noon says:

The Government Weather Bureau reports the whole State was visited yesterday by the great precipitation, especially in Temple county, where it approximated six inches. Three boys in a boat in Galveston bay are believed to have perished.

Another storm to last two days was predicted by the Government Weather Bureau. The Bonito valley is expected to be flooded by Wednesday. The Gulf. "The water at Sealy is now up to the highest point reached in the disastrous flood of last July."

WICHITA STATE SOAKED.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 28.—Many streets here are flooded from curb to curb today, owing to the tremendous rain last night. A hall storm yesterday afternoon and last night shattered many windows, wrecking green houses and porches, uprooting trees, causing runways and killed many birds. The whole State was soaked, the spring precipitation being the greatest on record.

RAIN IN THE SOUTH.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, April 28.—Although there was only a drizzle in Los Angeles, there was a heavy storm in San Francisco, general in other parts of Southern California. In some instances, there was heavy thunder and lightning.

Shore, or seashore, and also at Mountain, a station in Mendocino Rained in this country, but meted almost immediately. At Fullerton the rain fall was 1.25 inches.

AT ANAHEIM two inches of rain fell in one hour during a short storm. The heaviest precipitation in years.

At San Bernardino there was a very heavy downpour, and at Riverside a quarter of an inch fell in less than half an hour.

At Santa Ana the storm lasted an hour and a quarter and a considerable area of barley and wheat will be materially benefited. Considerable quantities of cut hay were more or less damaged.

HIS WOUNDS FATAL.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., April 28.—J. M. Miller, the merchant who was shot last Wednesday night by Mr. Bogle, a well known physician, died today. Mr. Miller, who was released Wednesday night under bonds after a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder had been preferred against him, was rearrested today after the death of Miller, and now occupies a cell in the County Jail.

WOUNDED.

On April 28.—The jury in the Morgott, on trial for Cestello, her lover, reported her guilty and sent back.

STAKE.

Handed a warrant. Accused a newspaper editor, who was released.

BALTIMORE.—A man was arrested for a shooting. He was released.

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LIVERMORE, April 30.—A large forty-five car load, loaded with about fifteen tons of Livermore hay, left today for New York, from which port the hay will be shipped on one of the fast steamers to London. A great many cars of our hay have been in the past shipped to New York, London, and many other Eastern States, but this is the first shipment to a European port. The carload in question was loaded by the Livermore Warehouse Company and was the best quality Livermore hay, and it is said to be the highest price in the market. About twenty cars per week are also being shipped to Los Angeles and other Southern California points.

Professor L. N. G. Co. has temporarily leased the old skating rink on Railroad Avenue for an armory and will hold its drills there until further notice.

The Old Fellow and Rebekah jogged pnickled Saturday on the banks of Arroyo Viejo, and most enjoyed themselves.

A number of our citizens will go to Sacramento on Monday to participate in the Street Carnival. The round-trip fare from Livermore is \$12.50.

Mr. J. L. Mitchell visited Ingalls in San Francisco Saturday.

Frank M. Gilchrist of Oakland was in town Friday.

Miss Mary Miller, teacher in the Methodist Church Friary, was in Oakland Saturday on a visit to her parents.

The music given by the ladies of the Methodist Church Friary evening was well attended, and those present passed a most enjoyable time.

ELMHURST

ELMHURST, April 30.—A delegation from Elm Camp, Woodmen of the World, will attend the reception to be given this evening to Head Consul F. A. Falkenberg at the headquarters of Oakland Camp, No. 94.

SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE.

The School Trustees have decided to give a holiday to the teachers and pupils on next Thursday, so that they may attend the carnival, which takes place on the same day.

NOTES.

Mrs. Seaver of the Moss tract has gone to Wisconsin.

White Mohr is the latest victim of the epidemic raging in Mt. Eden.

New Person of Alabama is visiting with his cousin Aug Petersen, for a few days.

Mr. H. Drost of San Francisco was a visitor on mid-May.

Mr. B. B. Brown was in town Friday.

Miss Amilia Goding was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Barron spent Thursday in Oakland with her son, who is attending school in that city.

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Miss Petersen, who has been visiting here the past week, went to San Francisco to spend a few days before returning to her home in Watsonville.

Brown Lee, principal of the Eureka school, spent Sunday with his parents in San Jose.

H. J. Mohr was a city visitor Saturday.

In the Mt. Eden Church, on Saturday evening May 5th, an excursion and musical program by Prof. French will be given in the interest of the Mt. Eden Sunday School.

Mr. Eden is losing some of her citizens. Mr. Van Troe has moved to San Leandro to take charge of a ranch, and Mr. Johnson moves this week to Dublin, where he has secured a position.

NILES

NILES, April 30.—A half dozen business men of Niles, who have recently married and purchased their pictures, obtained their engines as a means of protecting their wives from fires. Those interested are: J. A. Eastman, J. B. Bernhard, J. J. Martin, M. B. Speden, Waters Brothers and others. The engines were all placed in Bernhard's stable. Speden's drug store and Ellis' home, where they may be reached by those who bought them in case of fire.

This is the only means of fighting fire in the town. E. A. Elsworth has ordered two machines for his office buildings and house uses. They are the same as used in the Oakland Fire Department, having direct connection with the water mains.

While the protection is for those who paid for it, personally, in case of fire, the engines will be taken out and used upon request, but it is expected that if they prove reliable, the protecting property a contribution will be made towards purchasing other machines.

The school and church trustees of the town could do no better than place one or more of these chemicals in their building.— Herald.

NEW MANUFACTURING PLANT FOR OAKLAND.

Dr. W. W. Hinckley, of this city, has proposed a new manufacturing plant to be built in the vicinity of Washington. The simple bottle demonstration is practicable in every way the patients claim for it, ought to revolutionize the system of filling bottles with their contents which now is done by hand.

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On adjoining lots Mr. Anderson is also building a home. Both houses will be supplied with water from Mr. Nelson's large tank, with which they are connected by pipes. This forms the pioneer water works of the town.

ALLENDALE.

ALLENDALE, April 30.—The surveyors are at work establishing the grades on Redwood Avenue. This is the first step toward the grading of the street.

The work for the job was let several months ago, but owing to the wet weather work had to be postponed.

Now that the grades are being established every one hopes for an early completion of this important piece of road improvement.

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DISCUSSED BY THE UNITARIANS

"What Must Society Do To Be Saved" Is the Question.

The subject discussed yesterday in the First Unitarian Church was "What Must Society Do to Be Saved?" Under a special head, "The Individual's Answer," John P. Irish made a few remarks concerning society and his strong belief in the strength of the individual.

He said that modern society must do nothing to be saved. That human society must be saved by human law and the individual tendency to do good and lift up would be all the saving that is necessary. He said that it was because of this principle he had such strong objections concerning socialism.

The speaker said it was natural for society to follow out the theories and platforms of some man who says to himself, "Go to, I will sit down and write out a platform and a law for human kind." And when this bit of machinery had all been perfected one day, it would go smoothly, in some way when the theory was true it was found the cogs would not fit and the machinery would not turn because of the theories.

All human progress is the growth in human selfishness," said the speaker. "Go back to the early days of human existence. Progress began in the cave dwellings to better his condition. Some suppose that the theory of evolution by exerting his superiority of control, subduing himself with His comforts. He had to be selfish to do this."

But that is the same in our times when these men who are ahead and who get the best things that the more mediocre people get there example. From those earliest ages until now the world over its progress has been the example which these strong individuals have set.

There is absolute equality of opportunity in this world for those who would embrace that opportunity; but there is no absolute ability in any one to take advantage of that opportunity. Nearly all of those who have turned out in this country have been the sons of poor parents and have been surrounded in early life by those conditions which go to make men great. For he does a strong work good to feel a little poverty in youth.

It is the individual that modern society rests. Nature has decreed that the individual shall survive; and by the latest means of education and instruction, individuality. No society will save itself, but if you should attempt to say that all shall be alike, then let my judgment will come to the destruction of the human race.

Every school, he said, should have a playground of not less than a block or half-block in area. Land is still cheap, and Oakland is losing its opportunity in not obtaining the needed parks and playgrounds.

THEY TALK OF BETTER SCHOOLS

Educators Discuss Sub-
ject From Unitarian
Pulpit.

There was a large attendance at the First Unitarian Church last evening when the subject "Better Schools" was discussed by Professor Elmer E. Bowles, head of the Education department at the University of California, and Principal P. M. Fisher of the Central High School. Professor Ellwood P. Cuttler of Stanford University had been invited to participate in the discussion, but he was unable to be present.

Professor Brown, presenting the general school needs, said substantially:

"We need, in the first place, to have the children sent to school. Most of them do not go to school, so we need compulsory attendance laws that will compel the others to go."

"We need special day schools for truant and disorderly pupils. If these do not prove satisfactory, we should have schools for the disorderly pupils may be established for a time."

"Medical inspection in the schools should be provided. Here in Oakland you can see the advantage of gratuitous school inspection by several competent physicians."

"Special facilities for specially bright pupils is desirable, just as we specially provide for the dull children. Ungraded schools for the bright pupils have given high satisfaction."

"We need more manual training in the schools and well-developed technical and commercial high schools. On the commercial side, thorough and extensive courses must be offered. On the manual training side broad foundations for trade should be offered. Nobody's education is complete until it affords the mastery of some vocation."

Professor Brown urged that school expenditures be increased to maintain a constant watch for the best teachers, and that the best teachers, when found, be called to fill vacancies whether they are applicants for the positions or not. Public interest in the schools must be developed, and the public must be educated to the example which these schools afford.

The semi-final game of the Central High School, the second speaker, was held at the same time, when there should be two lines of high schools—one for fitting pupils for the University, the other for boys and girls who will not go to the University, and being intended to fit them for business."

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CLEVER CAPTURE OF A BOLD HIGHWAYMAN BY OAKLAND POLICE.

Held Up Three Women in the Lakeside Dis-
trict—Stopped Librarian Greene—Work
of a Simple Austrian.

The local police Saturday night accomplished in an hour's work what the San Francisco police failed to accomplish in a week. The footpad who has been terrorizing the city across the bay came to Oakland after making two unsuccessful attempts to rob, and was caught red-handed and is now confined in the Alcatraz Prison. He says his name is Simon Lantz, a Swede, and claims to have come from a good family in Austria.

Vestera was first heard of in this city about 8 o'clock Saturday night, when he held up three women on Bonneville Avenue, Mrs. Steadman, Miss Beaman and Mrs. Bowles, employed as domestics at the home of P. E. Bowles at 317 Boulevard terrace. They had finished their day's work and were walking home when they were confronted by Vestera, who presented a pistol and ordered them to deliver their valises. Instead of obeying the command the frightened women ran and ran, and after following them a short distance, Vestera made off in another direction.

The attempted hold-up was reported to the police and Chief Hodgkins detailed his men to search the Lakeside district in squads with instructions to search every suspicious looking stranger. While the police were searching the neighborhood of the Bowles residence, Librarian Charles S. Greene and Goldie Allen, who reside at 125 Jackson street, met Vestera at Thirteenth and Alice streets. Both Greene and Allen refused to give up their coin and the robber grabbed the pistol which Allen wore. The latter drew back and tried to shoot, but the revolver missed fire. Greene and Allen then ran calling for the police and the robber made off.

Shortly after the hold-up Vestera struck again at Thirteenth and Harrison streets, by Mrs. Hamlin Kite, who were mounted on horses, and they had him covered with their revolvers before he could make any attempt to defend himself. Special Officers Schumacher and Rodden appeared upon the scene at the same time, and the four officers hurried Vestera to the City Police station. He made a confession. In his pockets were found a revolver of German pattern and the black silk handkerchief which he used to hold-ups. Vestera talked freely of his crimes in the City Prison Saturday night.

"Yes, I am the man that attempted three hold-ups here tonight," said he, "and I also tried to hold up three different people. I am a swindler. All my work in this robbery business made me about \$6. The first person I held up in San Francisco was on Broadway, the second at Jackson and Franklin, and the third on Franklin, near Geary. The second man I shot, I was sure I would get some money from him."

"No, I never held up a woman alone, and when I stopped the three women tonight I thought they were two women and a boy. I am not a thief, they were all women I ran away. I often run up to two or three men, but they ran away, and I got nothing. No, I did not want to shoot anybody, and did not mean to shoot anyone in San Francisco. I came to San Francisco last time in November. I did not say where I roomed, but I came from Los Angeles, where I was second cook in a hotel. They take very good stock in the theory that the highwayman may have come from the Australian police.

Up to the close of the sixth inning this evening the game was in a measure justified, as the St. Matthew's boys played rather better ball than their hosts, but lost the fact that through the bad luck of the team to the Oakland boys two to one. The result was somewhat of a surprise, as it was considered a safe bet that the players of the St. Matthew's School that would win from its Alameda adversary.

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The Golden Gate baseball team defeated the Belgrave team yesterday at the Legion grounds by a score of 9 to 4. This is the second consecutive victory this year. There was a large attendance and an excellent game was played.

SIGMUND BEEL SCORES A SUCCESS.

The semi-final game of the Academic Baseball League between St. Matthew's and the Central High School of Oakland was played at the Legion Field Park Saturday morning and resulted in a score for the latter nine by the top-heavy score of 10 to 2. The result was somewhat of a surprise, as it was considered a safe bet that the players of the St. Matthew's School that would win from its Alameda adversary.

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AN OBJECT LESSON.

In a Restaurant.

A physician puts the query: Have you ever noticed in any large restaurant at lunch or dinner time the large number of heavy, vigorous old men at the tables, most of whose ages run from 60 to 80 years? Many of them bald and all perhaps gray, but none of them feeble or senile?

Perhaps the spectacle is so common as to have escaped your observation or comment, but nevertheless it is an object lesson which means something.

If you will notice what these heavy old fellows are eating you will observe that they are not munching brain cracking nuts, or gaily picking their way through a menu card of new fangled delicacies; on the contrary they seem to prefer a juicy roast of beef, a properly broiled loin of mutton, and even the largest broiled lobster is not altogether foreign to them.

CHURCH CONCERT.

The vocal pupils of Miss Ethelred Russell, assisted by Miss Eleanor Drissell as pianist, were recently heard in a concert in the First Presbyterian Church. A program of much merit has been prepared for the affair which is given for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The young ladies of the High School Ecclesiastical Debating Society gave a reception last Saturday night to the members of the Girls' Debating Society of the Oakdale High School. The reception was given at the home of Miss Dahlia Spencer, 220 Shattuck avenue.

Leonard Clark, a former resident of Berkeley, was recently visiting his old residence when he saw Captain Thomas Wright of West Berkeley is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. F. E. Foster has gone to Avon, Instructor Wharff of the University, is confined to his home by an attack of the grippe.

PASSED EXAMINATION.

BERKELEY, April 30.—W. E. Blasdale was examined in public Saturday morning for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. The examination was conducted by Professors R. H. O'Neill, Lawson and Getchell, and resulted satisfactorily. The candidate's major study was chemistry with botany and zoology as minors. The thesis which he presented to the examining committee with a dissertation peculiar to a species of plant in this locality, with special reference to its chemical composition and characteristics.

The matter in a nutshell is that in this dissertation the author has demonstrated that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do not act upon the stomach and in fact are not strictly a medicine, but that they do not entirely upon the food eaten digesting it thoroughly and thus gives a much needed rest and giving an appetite for the next meal.

Those who travel nine out of ten use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets knowing them to be perfectly safe to use at any time and also having found out by experience that they are a safe-guard against stomach trouble in form, and taste as they have all along used all kinds of food, the traveling public for years have pinned their faith to Stuart's Tablets.

Stuart's tablets are at 50 cents for 100, and 50 cents for 200. Dr. J. C. Davis, a druggist from Maine to California, if you were asked, will say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet is the most popular and successful remedy for any stomach trouble.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

The Library Trustees will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening at eight o'clock in the Library room.

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MEETING OF THE AMATEUR ATHLETES.

BERKELEY, April 30.—Park Congregational Church last evening on the collection oval between several on the preparatory series of services in which Rev. Bradley is preaching on the great religions of the world. His subject last evening was

The remaining address will be delivered as follows: Sunday evening, May 6th, "Hindooism"; May 27th, "Christianity."

Berkeley the Winner.

The final and deciding game between the Stanford and U. C. baseball teams was won Saturday by the latter, with a score of 10 to 5.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Emma C. Davis, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Emma C. Davis, to all creditors of and to all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit their claims with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to add administration of her residencies in the "corner" of Chapin street and Pacific Avenue in the city of Alameda, Cal., which said residence the undersigned selects as his place of business in all manner connected with the estate of Emma C. Davis, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., April 30th, 1900.

GEORGE N. WILLIAMS.

Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Emma C. Davis, deceased.

CARLTON W. GREENE, administrator with the will annexed, Mills Bluff, San Francisco, Cal.

W. W. CAMERON.

Real Estate and Financial Agent.

Chas. Phuah.

GENTLEMEN'S RACE

FABIOLA DERBY DAY.

Chas. D. Bates, Jr.

Dick Tobin

Fred Dickman

Walter McFee

Clarence Pollis

Chas. Phuah

MONDAY EVENING,

OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

APRIL 30, 1900

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DEATH SUMMONS CAPT. HOOPER.

Was Well Known in the
U. S. Revenue
Service.

Captain C. L. Hooper of the United States Revenue Marine Service died yesterday at 6 o'clock in the morning at 22 Santa Rosa avenue, in Vista Heights. His death was due to a complication of internal disorders. He had been gradually failing for several weeks, but the end came earlier than his physician anticipated.

Captain Hooper was one of the best-known officers in the Revenue Marine service. He had been stationed on this Coast for many years and had commanded the United States cutter Compton, Bear, Tucumcari and other vessels of the Pacific and Asiatic sea fleets. His recent command of the United States cutter McCulloch in Manila Bay, after the victory of Admiral Dewey, was familiar history. He made a voyage along the coast of China and the seas around Japan, Korea and Formosa, and was instrumental in the capture of the Chinese fleet.

The Captain was a native of Massachusetts and in his sixtieth year. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Lotta Hooper of Oakland. Two sons and one daughter completed his immediate family. The sons are Captain Charles Hooper and Samuel Loring Hooper, Miss Lucia Florence Hooper, his only daughter, is well known in Oakland society.

Captain Hooper's closest friend in this city, where he resided for many years, was John Aspinwall, formerly Police Commissioner. He was a member of the Masonic order, and his funeral will be held on Tuesday, May 1st, at 2 o'clock, from Masonic Temple, under the auspices of the Oakland Lodge No. 132, Free and Accepted Masons.

At Linda Vista, on the heights between Oakland proper and Piedmont, Captain Hooper erected a few years ago, a substantial home. It commands a fine view of San Francisco bay, Oakland, in the foreground, and the County hills in the distance. In his pretty home Captain Hooper and his family were surrounded with trophies of the Captain's seafaring life. His collection of Alaska salmon contained many rare and valuable specimens, nearly all of which he personally obtained while cruising in the far northern waters. Especially is his collection of Esquimaux Indian articles a large and varied one. Nearly every kind of article used in hunting, fishing and religious emblem or accoutrement used by the Esquimaux is to be found in Captain Hooper's collection.

Order by mail if you can't come in—if you live across the bay leave the order in the morning—get a parcel check and everything O. K. without a hitch when you call at night.

Free writing conveniences, free postals, free telephone, free delivery.

Five floors full of wanted merchandise.

Flour Sale 75¢

Fancy family flour sack
regular pc—50-lb sack
one sack to a customer
3 days' sale

Delivered free in Oakland, Alameda
and Berkeley

Breakfast Wheat 12 lbs for 25¢

Cream—3½ lb grade
3 days' sale

Seedless Raisins 10¢

Fancy brand—bleached lb
"Sultana"—large sound
and clean—regular 15¢
a lb—three days

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LONG.

A judicious course
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TRIBUNE'S "TO
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Classified advertisements and sub-
scriptions placed at any of the following
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to THE TRIBUNE.

ALAMEDA.

L. A. FIELD'S Stationery Store, 1513
Park street.

NEEDHAM BROS., New P. O. Building,
Shattuck Avenue.

OAKLAND.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store,
P. O. Building, Telegraph Avenue.

DR. J. T. TAGGART'S Drug Store,
projection of San Pablo Avenue and Four-
teenth Street.

JACKSON'S PHARMACY, 1778 Seventh
street, West Oakland.

A. LEEPEE'S Drug and Stationery
Store, 422-432 Seventeenth street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thir-
ty-fourth Street and Telegraph Avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of
Third and Twentieth streets, East
Oakland.

J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Phar-
macy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES

WANTED—Two ladies organizers who can
work in their rooms, men and women, to as-
sist in tabulating new lists of con-
tributors and in the compilation of
lists including the collection of payments at
certain ages. Call at room 16, Broad-
way Hotel.

BEFORE GOING ELSEWHERE be sure
to call at the studio of J. H. Jones Co., the
leading photographers, 165 Broadway,

Oakland.

LASCIETTE'S French Laundry, 261
and 262 Ninth st., near Franklin St.,
Oakland. Specialty laundry and embroideries
of all descriptions called for and do-
mestic cleaning.

E. MILLER C. KING, house painter and
paper hanger, 100 Alameda Street, First
Shop, 339 Twelfth st., San Francisco.
Residence, 500 Willow St. Telephone 1055.

GENTEL TICKET Holders from M. &
K. 25 Market st., San Francisco.

NEW and second-hand furniture bought
and sold. In H. Davis' 280 Broadway.

FOR "Picture-Signs" see ALLEN-
DORF, 16 San Pablo ave., cor. Clay
and Seventeenth st. The grand 421.

ALAMEDA Window Cleaning Company,
room 15, 104 Broadway, Oakland, agents
for the San Joaquin Valley, Sacramento,
and San Joaquin County, work, etc.

The Sanitary Dust Layer. It is
orderly, a disinfector, saves labor and
sprinkling, and keeps floor free from
microbes. Phone 238 Black.

OAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 164
Broadway, San Joaquin, 280 Twelfth and
Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, palms,
flowers, scrubbing, etc.; contracts by week
or month; phone 542 Main. G. Figgins.

PERSONALS

NOW THAT YOU are thinking of house
cleaning send for W. A. Wood to clean
and hang your curtains, 412 Twelfth st.,
Phone Cedar 24. Store, Tel. Black
322.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mrs. A. H.
will open Saturday, April 22, 1900, at
P. M. with sale of Pedigree Blanks for sale
at Tribune office.

PEDIGREE Blanks for
sale at Tribune office.

WANTED—A number of ladies' and
men's stockings. Call 324 Fourth street.

LEDERER'S Quinton keeps hair
fresh and fine. 35c box; Lederer's Foam
Shampoo keeps the scalp clean;
5c package. 123 Stockton street, San
Francisco.

LEDERER is the hairdresser who does
it right price 25c makes a specialty
of straightening hair and cutting hair
the way it should be. Call 22 Stockton
street San Francisco.

J. HOMER DICKSON AND EDITH R.
DICKSON, Osteopathic Physicians,
graduates American School of Osteo-
pathy, Kirkville, Mo.; complete details
promptly attended to; piano, piano-
fortes, organ, etc., must be sold; see them
at 1215 Twelfth st., San Francisco.

PROF. ALVIN EMERSON CLARK, Hind-
psychic palintist, solar biologist,
temperamentologist, mental and occult
healer, magnetizer, possessive
hypnotist, Brinsford, N. H., tel. Sixth
st., Ninth and Washington st.

JAPANESE chandelier, 336 Sixteenth St.,
San Pablo Avenue. Made to order
to fit. Repairing neatly done. Lowest
rates.

ALAMEDA OFFICE Oakland Tribune,
162 Park St., near Santa Clara ave.;
advertisements and subscriptions re-
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FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

NATIONAL Cash Register, 1000
new for sale cheap. Apply to P. W. An-
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date boudoir shop. Colorfully revolving
chairs, French plate mirrors, poles,
washstand, etc., must be sold; see them
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BOSTON—Monogram, 336 Sixteenth St.,
San Pablo Avenue. Made to order
to fit. Repairing neatly done. Lowest
rates.

LOST—Three silver military medals, be-
tween 46th Eighth street and Broadway,
Please return to Jno. White, 439 Eighth,
and receive reward.

LOST—On Monday, April 23rd, about noon,
a lady's small watch with gold chain
lost between Woman's Exchange and
Washington St., between Twelfth and
Thirteenth. A liberal reward to the
finder by returning to Dr. Scott, 111
Washington St.

LOST—Monday evening, solitaire diamond
pen-knife blade setting; \$10 reward. W.
F. Andrews, 155 Forty-fifth st.

BELGIAN HARE Pedigree Blanks for
sale at Tribune office.

LOST—Black cocker spaniel; answers to
name of "Pride." Return to 231 Pied-
mont ave.; reward.

PALMISTRY

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lege of Palmistry, reads 1 to 3 p. m., 616
Carry st., near Jones, San Francisco.

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FURNISHED alcove bay window room;
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